



Fw: MUR 6609/Designation of Counsel and Request for an Extension of Time to File a Response

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Subject: MUR 6009/Designation of Counsel and Request for an Extension of Time to File a Response

Dear Ms. Collins,

As we discussed earlier this afternoon by phone, I have been designated to act as counsel for Friends of Connie Mack and Craig Engle, as Treasurer, in MUR 6609.

Friends of Connie Mack received the complaint in MUR 6590 on Monday, July 30, 2012. As you know, 11 C.F.R. § 111.6(a) provides that a respondent may file a written response to a complaint within fifteen (15) days of receiving it. Since service of the complaint was made on July 30, 2012, a response is due today, August 14, 2012.

Although I have initiated an investigation into the allegations of the complaint, there will not be sufficient time to complete that effort and file a written response on behalf of Friends of Connie Mack and Craig Engle, as Treasurer, by the end of today. In order to prepare a complete response to the allegations in the complaint, I will need to interview the paid and volunteer staff of Friends of Connie Mack as well as other witnesses who may have direct knowledge of the events alleged to have occurred in the complaint. Accordingly, I hereby request an extension of time of thirty (30) days until Thursday, September 13, 2012 in order to file a response to the complaint in MUR 6609.

Sincerely,

Brett G. Kappel

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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL
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MUR # 6609

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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

8/14/2012

Treasurer

Date

Respondent/Agent -Signature

Title(Treasurer/Candidate/Owner)

NAMED RESPONDENT: Friends of Connie Mack and Craig Engle as Treasurer

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